**My Medieval History Snapshot of Daily Life**

**Your task:**

* Formulate (prepare) questions and find information on various aspects of medieval life.
* Using the structure words below, formulate questions from each point value. Minimum point value is 10. Your questions should be open-ended (so you can give more than a Yes/No answer).

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**STRUCTURE WORDS**

**1 point value:**  What? Size? Colour?

**2 point value:** Number? Shape? Where?

**3 point value?** Movement? Mood? When? Sound?

**4 point value?** Background? Perspective?

**Sample questions if your topic was food. (There are almost 50 points worth of questions here)**

**What**: What sort of food did the Middle Ages people eat?

**Size**: How big were the meals? What were the portions like?

**Colour**: What did the meals look like? Were they colourful – what sort of colours did they have?

**Number**: Did the meals have many courses? How many people would sit down to eat together?

**Shape**: What did the furniture look like? Could they feel comfortable whilst they ate?

**Where**: Where did the Monarch eat? What about people on different levels of the feudal structure of society?

**Movement**: What sort of movement occurred while people were eating?

**Mood**: What did people feel like when they were eating – did they eat for pleasure?

**When**: How long did a meal last? Were the lengths of meals different for people depending on their place in the social order? Could meals be different lengths, depending on the occasions?

**Sound**: If I could be present at the meal, what sort of sounds would I hear?

**Background**: What had to happen for the food to be ready to eat? Where did it come from? Who was involved?

**Perspective**: What are the feelings of different people involved in food preparation? Peasants?

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